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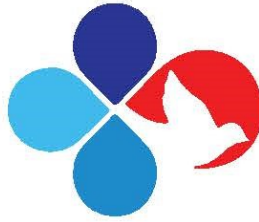
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15th August 2021

Solemnity of The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

At a special Mass today at St Mary of the Angels in Wellington the New Zealand Catholic Bishops will re-dedicate New Zealand to Mary under the title of her Assumption (Te Ara a Maria: Mary's Way).

A special artwork has been created to commemorate this occasion. There will be a nationwide 'hikoi' of this artwork throughout the country in the coming months before it is placed in St Mary of the Angels Church in March 2022. Further information can be found on the website: www.tearaamaria.nz

Welcome

Today, at the 9am Mass we will formally welcome Teresa Shanks, the new Principal of Reignier School to our Parish. Teresa began her new role as Principal three weeks ago at the beginning of Term 2.

There will be a morning tea in the Parish Centre after Mass and we hope many of our parishioners are able to attend. We assure Teresa and her family of a warm welcome to our Parish Community and our support as a new Catholic Principal in Napier.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) Enquiry Nights

Do you know someone who wants to know more about the Catholic Faith? Do you know anyone who has expressed an interest in becoming a Catholic? The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is an opportunity for adults to learn more about what Catholics believe. It is the way through which adults are received into full communion with the Church at Easter.

The first enquiry night for people wishing to know more about the Catholic Faith will be held on **Wednesday 1 September at 7.30pm** in the St Mary's Centre. If you know of anyone who may be interested bring them along on 1 September. If you are unable to accompany them to the Enquiry night please let the Parish Office or one of the priests know and we will warmly welcome them.

Holy Hour

'Be still and Know that I am God' (Psalm 46:10)

You are invited to come and spend some time with Christ in Eucharistic adoration. This is held fortnightly at St Patrick's Church on a Friday evening from 5.30pm until 6.30pm.

The next Holy Hour will be this coming Friday 20 August at 5.30pm.

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SATURDAY VIGIL MASS | 5.30pm

SUNDAY MASS | 10am

MONDAY | 12.05pm Service of the Word
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TUESDAY–FRIDAY | 12.05pm Mass

FRIDAY | 11.30am Reconciliation

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SUNDAY MASSES | 9am & 5pm

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY | 9.15am Service
of the Word with Holy Communion

TUESDAY | 5.30pm Mass

THURSDAY TO SATURDAY | 9.15am Mass

SATURDAY | Reconciliation after Mass

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MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY | 9.15am
Service of the Word with Holy Communion

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WEDNESDAY | Reconciliation after Mass



St John's College, Hastings

On Wednesday this week, our Y11 students were on retreat. The retreat was run by the Challenge 2000 team from Wellington with a focus on social justice. Faith in action – Opere et Veritate.

On Friday we celebrated the Assumption of Mary with a Mass at Sacred Heart Church. We were joined by students from St Joseph's School, which always makes our Mass special as we come together with other Catholic schools and celebrate Mass as community.

On Sunday 8 August, we had our St John's open day. It was well supported with over 200 people in attendance. I would like to thank our staff, students and parents who helped out on the day. Finally, we will have a combined Mass with Sacred Heart College on Sunday 12 September at St Peter Chanel Church, which will be followed by a fono. We would like to invite families to this Mass where we celebrate our young people attending our Catholic Colleges.



St Patrick's School Open Morning - Intermediate for 2022

We are holding an "OPEN MORNING" for Year 6 students who are considering enrolling at St Patrick's School in our Intermediate Whanau for Year 7.

The Open Morning will be held on Thursday 19 August from 9:00am-12:30pm. Please drop your son/daughter off at the office at 9:00am (until 12:30pm). We will provide lunch (sausage sizzle) but they will need to bring their morning tea.

FOR YOU - THE PARENTS

We would like to give you the opportunity to view our wonderful school and the Year 7 & 8 Intermediate Whanau as you consider your Intermediate options for next year.

We would like to invite you and your child to come and personally view the school, meet the Principal, Deputy Principal and teachers to see why St Patrick's is a great option for 2022.

Please phone 8439238 or email admin@stpatnapier.school.nz the School Office to arrange a time that is suitable. We look forward to meeting you and your child.

Planned Giving, Donations, and Automatic Payments

With cheques having been phased out, if you would like to change from envelope giving to an automatic payment, please phone the Parish office 844 2224.

If you wish to make a donation by direct payment to the Parish via internet banking the bank account details are:

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Sacred Heart College, Napier

We have a busy week ahead at Sacred Heart College.

Our Open Evening will take place this Wednesday 18 August at 6:30pm. Please tell your friends and family to come and take a tour around our beautiful school. Enrolments are now open for 2022. For all enrolment enquiries call the school office on 835 3761, check out the school website or email admin@sacredheartnapier.school.nz We look forward to celebrating a school liturgy on Monday to mark the Feast of the Assumption and will be joined by mums and grandmothers. University of Canterbury will visit on Wednesday and Thursday, and our Y13 students will travel to Wellington to Victoria University's Open Day on Friday. Aubert House will celebrate Mass here in the Mission Centre on Thursday. Our Year 9 and 10's are looking forward to their Junior Social with St. Johns at St Johns College on Friday 20 August from 7:00pm to 9:15pm.



Reignier Catholic School/Chester St planting days

Reignier Catholic School is excited to be working with the Chester Street residents and replanting the access strip to the school with an edible hedge. This has been funded through the Napier City Council's Te Puawaitanga – Green Communities Together Fund. We invite you to join us on any of the preparation and planting days: 15 Aug, 12 Sep, and 19 Sep. Feel free to join any time after 9:00am and a BBQ lunch will be served around 12:00pm.

Baptism Preparation Course

The next course will be held on **Sunday 12 September at 11:30am** in the St Mary's Centre. Parents wishing to have their first child baptised are welcome to attend. Please advise the Parish Office if you wish to attend.

Taize Worship

Sunday 22 August at 7:00pm at St Paul's Presbyterian Church, Tennyson St. A time of candlelight, song and silence. Come along and be refreshed and at peace.



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Passionist Family Groups

Passionist Family Groups have been established in Hastings & Napier parishes for 30 years and all past, present, and future group members are invited to celebrate this special birthday achievement by sharing a meal on Sunday 31 October at 12noon at the Napier RSA.

The cost is \$20pp. Your group leader has details of how to register - or contact Norma (06) 650 1679. Gather your group and live out the gospel value "See how they love one another".



Reuse & Recycle Tables

Today, Sunday 15 August, at the 9:00am Mass at St Mary's we have the Reuse and Recycle Tables set up again. Remember what you can bring for recycling (all clean please): plastics marked with the 5 triangle, oral care products, breadtags, foil, etc. etc. For reuse: items to be sold by the SVDP Shop.

Te Hahi Hurihuri – The Evolving Church

The Diocese of Palmerston North is holding 'a Hui on Liturgy, Music and Pastoral Life'. Why the Hui? Our parishes are in transition. As a result we are experiencing changes in liturgical practice, pastoral priorities and musical repertoire. Te Hahi Hurihuri The Evolving Church, is a place of conversation where we share how we are experiencing this transition.

The hui has excellent presenters to assist with the discussion and will be held from 5pm Friday 10 September until 12.30pm on Sunday 12 September. If you are interested in attending please contact Sister Helen at the Parish Office.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Evening Prayer (Holy Hour) - St Mary's Church

Every Wednesday at 4:00pm in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

Kiwanis Club of Napier

Shake rattle and roll is for folk with disabilities, either mental or physical; some have a carer with them, others are in wheelchairs; they come from Napier and Hastings including several from Havelock North High School and a variety of ages. This is held every week at Napier Baptist Church on Riverbend Road. Kiwanis club of Napier looks after morning tea. The hall is all set up for us. This starts at 10:45am and we clear up afterwards and leave at 11:30am at the latest. We have a 3 week roster which is very flexible with 3 folk on each session. Everything is supplied. One of our members Bill Quinn died this past week and we are looking for a replacement. Feel free to contact Clinton Green 0294520698 or email clintongreen2017@gmail.com



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Thank you from Caritas

Caritas wishes to express their thanks and appreciation for your contributions to the Bishops' Lent Appeal in 2021. Despite the incredible challenges faced by so many this year, the 2021 Lent Appeal has raised close to \$1 million, with \$11,471.70 contributed by the Catholic Parish of Napier. Funds from the Lenten Appeal are used by Caritas to assist in their work of charity and justice for the poorest and most vulnerable around the world and Aotearoa New Zealand. Once again, thank you for your contribution.

Catholic Parish of Napier Administration and Mission Centre

The building consent for the Administration and Mission Centre has been lodged with the Napier City Council. We will shortly be launching a fundraising campaign to secure the remaining funding for the project. A special fundraising account has been set up specifically for this purpose. Details of this account are as follows:

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Mass Intentions and Anniversaries

Recently Deceased: Bill Quinn

Anniversaries: Thomas Sullivan (21/06), Jim Halpin (01/08), Moira Wallis (15/08), Les Sinclair (17/08), Greg Linton (18/08), Rex Linton (20/08), Julie Halpin (21/08), David Dine (21/08), Max Fearn (25/08)

Prayers for the Sick: Br Bill Archer sm, Colleen Davies, Heather Malcomson, Allen Murphy, Marlene Chamberlain, Eddie Wilson, Alan Gardiner, Sheile Bowbyes, Joy Lyons, Margaret Richardson, Dan Keating, Arapera Riki, Naomi Tong, Stephanie Bearsley, Terry O'Leary, Peter Israel, Paul Diamond, John Zaloum, Colleen Parker, June Brodie, Rosealeen Bradley, Barbara Triska, Len Gavin, Ann Vaessen, Mandy Lane, Marie Stanford, Leo Baltussen

EL SHADDAI DWXI-PPFI NAPIER CHAPTER

Every Sunday afternoon from 1:00pm to 3:30pm. Praise and Worship and Bible sharing. Please come and join us in the Hannigan Hall or the meeting room of St. Patrick's.

St Thomas More Lotto 2021, Round 4

Draw 2, No 5 - Frank Volman

Liturgy Readings

This Week: Apoc 11:19, 12:1-6, 10; 1 Cor 15:20-26; Lk 1:39-56

Next Week: Joshua 24:1-2, 15-18; Eph 5:21-32; Jn 6:60-69



Care of Creation - Tip of the Month

Bring your aluminium wine bottle tops and blister packs for recycling at the Re-use and Recycling tables (every 3rd Sunday 9:00am at St Mary's).

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YOU!

Last Week's Collection
Total - \$6,877

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Mother Mary - Inspiration to care for all creation

Sunday 29 August, 2:30pm-4:30pm, Fr Peter Healy SM (Otaki) on a Marian approach to care for our common home. Held at St Mary's Parish Centre, Osier Road and organised by the Parish Care of Creation group. All are welcome.

St Vincent de Paul - St Patrick Conference

The next monthly meeting will be held on Friday 27 August at 9:30am in the meeting room at St Patrick's Church, Napier.



St Vincent de Paul - Napier

St Vincent de Paul Napier is in urgent need of household furniture. Should you have furniture surplus to your requirements or be downsizing please contact Richard on ph: 835 9854.



Napier Catholic Ladies Social Group

Napier Catholic Ladies Social Group invite all ladies to join them for an afternoon "A Musical Interlude" on Thursday 19 August @ 1:30pm, followed by afternoon tea. Raffles at the door. Looking forward to seeing you there.



St Patrick's Church Prayer and Rosary

Divine Mercy Prayer every Monday afternoon in the St. Patrick's Chapel 1:30pm to 2:30pm. Holy Rosary every Friday afternoon in the St. Patrick's Chapel 5:15pm to 6:00pm.

Rosary Prayer Meeting

Join us in Rosary Prayer for the unborn. **Every Friday at 6:00pm** at St Patrick's Chapel. Families and young people welcome.

Samoan Divine Mercy Chaplet and Rosary

Samoan Divine Mercy Chaplet and the Rosary every Sunday at 3:00pm at St. Thomas More.

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